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SENATOR MARESH: No, only that we need to look out for the people that have wells...that have priority on the irrigator, and by replacing them or deepening the well they should have the same protection, so I move that this be adopted.

PRESIDENT: Alright, the question then is the...Senator Kremer, do you have a question?

SENATOR KREMER: I'd like to ask the Senator a question, please.

PRESIDENT: Senator Maresh, will you respond?

SENATOR MARESH: Yes.

SENATOR KREMER: Senator Maresh, all this does...I was visiting with some other people and I wasn't paying attention to what you were...

SENATOR MARESH: Senator Kremer, your amendment gives the irrigator protection if he has to drill a new well or deepen the well. He doesn't lose his priority and this does the same thing for the domestic well. If he has to deepen his well, or move it over to replace the well, that he shall not lose his priority as far as being there first. Equal protection in Section 2.

SENATOR KREMER: Section 2?

SENATOR MARESH: Pardon me, Subsection 2...Subsection 3, I should say. In Line 14 after irrigation add "or domestic" well, and in Line 15 after irrigation "or domestic" well. It gives them the same protection when they have to replace the well or deepen it.

SENATOR KREMER: Well, if that's what you're doing, I have no objection. I think they should both have equal protection.

SENATOR MARESH: That's what I thought. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? The question then before the House is the adoption of the Maresh amendment to the Kremer amendment. All those in favor...Senator Duis, did you...all those in favor of the adoption of the Maresh amendment to the Kremer amendment vote aye, opposed nay. This will require 25 votes. Record the vote.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays on the adoption of Senator Maresh's